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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Patent Application of:

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Appln. No.: 10/087,238

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Title: Process for Discharging and Transferring Fluidized Particles

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))**

Applicant(s) in the above-identified application hereby petition(s) for a one-month extension of time to and including December 12, 2005 (December 10, 2005 being a Saturday) for responding to the Office Action mailed August 10, 2005. An Amendment accompanies this Petition.

☒ A check in the amount of \$120.00.00 is enclosed herewith.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (**Billing No.** 208305.0217) as noted below. A duplicate copy is enclosed.

☐ Extension fee in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_.00

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